

RACE HATRED FLAMES IN ILLINOIS CAPITAL; MOB LAW ENTHRONED

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Sheriff Werner were without effect. The sheriff offered to let a committee from the crowd search the jail, assuring them that both negroes were gone. "We will all go through," shouted some one in the crowd, and the cry was taken up by hundreds.

Then some one in the crowd mentioned that Harry Loper, the restaurant man, had furnished the automobile in which the escape of the prisoners had been effected.

"On to Loper's," they shouted, and by this time the maddened mob was ready for anything.

A rush was made upon Loper's restaurant, five blocks away. The proprietor was warned, but failing to appreciate the seriousness of the situation did not attempt to escape until the mob was upon the place. He was pushed, by employees of the place, together with his wife, into a basement room in temporary safety.

Short work was made of the restaurant. The automobile in which the rescue had been effected had been left in front of the place.

Negro Protector's Restaurant Wrecked.

It was quickly turned upside down and fire was set to the machine. While the machine blazed, frenzied hundreds poured into the cafe, tore fixtures and decorations from their places and piled them upon the blaze. Even the sideboards and kitchen were stripped and all the tableware and dishes piled upon the blaze.

The fire department, which had been called out a half dozen times in efforts to disperse the crowd, again made a run to the restaurant, but was powerless. Every line of hose that was stretched was cut before a stream of water could be forced into it. The restaurant was stripped clean by the mob which worked without hindrance until its work was nearly completed.

The local companies of militia, consisting of a company of infantry, a troop of cavalry and a garrison gun section which had been ordered out by Governor Deneen early in the afternoon was busy with the situation in the vicinity of the jail, and the local authorities had no men to spare at the scene of the riot. Finally, in a desperate effort to restore order, the cavalry troops were dispatched to the restaurant. There the rioting broke loose in serious form. Shots were fired and the air was filled with missiles. Many fell in the melee and it was here that Louis Johnson met his death. After the mob had moved to other scenes, Johnson's body was picked up in the rear of Loper's place.

After nothing of Loper's place remained for the infuriated crowd, a rush was made for the levee, which is usually populated with negroes. But most of them had disappeared.

Attacks were made upon several store buildings in which it was believed negroes had been secreted. Entrance was forced to these places and stocks of merchandise were turned topsy-turvy in the search for refugees.

Shortly before midnight the mob broke into Fishman's pawn shop and secured a quantity of rifles, shot guns, revolvers and ammunition. With these they armed themselves and started to march the streets in absolute control of the situation.

Prohibition Candidate's Brave Bluff.

"Stand back, gentlemen, or I'll shoot every one of you who touches this man," were the words of Eugene W. Chafin, prohibition candidate for president, who faced a mob that had attacked a negro while Mr. Chafin was delivering a public address on the east side of the square last night.

For his part Chafin was struck on the left side of the face with a brick bat hurled at him by a member of the mob.

Chafin was well along in his speech when a negro, pursued by a mob, came toward the speaker's stand from Fifth and Washington streets, where he had been pulled from a street car.

The crowd closed in on the negro and had him on the ground, beating him with clubs and sticks. The negro finally got away and jumped on the platform.

It was at this point that Mr. Chafin stepped to the front of the mob, put his hand to his hip pocket and threatened to shoot any one who touched the negro. Mr. Chafin's threat had the desired effect, although he had no weapon.

During the fight the negro pulled a knife from his pocket and slashed several white men. Mr. Chafin was not seriously injured. James Scott was struck by a stray bullet and almost instantly killed.

Mob's Blood Lust Finally Satiated.

After burning many houses in the negro quarter, the mob, which became more and more desperate as the night passed, finally gratified its thirst for blood this morning at 3 o'clock when an unknown negro was lynched at the corner of Twelfth and Madison streets, right in the heart of the so-called "Bad Lands."

Troops arrived at the scene too late to prevent the lynching. Some of the members of the mob declared the negro lynched had shot two white men. They said that in a fight with the whites the negro was forced in a corner at the saloon and grocery on the corner of Twelfth and Madison streets. When retreat was cut off the negro is said to have opened fire, wounding two.

Then came the cry "get the rope."

All the members of the mob eagerly took up the cry. The negro was caught and dragged to the street. Here he was beaten and shot five times and then a rope was swung around his neck and the other end of the rope thrown over the limb of a tree in front of the store. With a cry of satisfaction, the negro was swung high off the ground. He was dead in a few minutes. After riddling the body with bullets, the mob commenced to dance around the tree. At this point a company of troops from Decatur arrived and commenced firing, causing the rioters to disperse in a hurry. By daylight the streets had been practically cleared and the troops were in control of the situation. Governor Deneen was at his office all night practically directing the calling out of the militia.

Lynching of First Victim.

The lynching of Hunter occurred when the big fire which destroyed the homes of about thirty-five negro families in the negro section of the "Bad Lands" was at its height and just preceding the arrival of the Pekin, Peoria, Bloomington and Decatur companies. Hunter is accused of having fired into the whites and seeking protection by dodging in and out of box cars along the right-of-way of the Illinois Central. The negro was cornered in a stairway and shot several times, then hanged to a tree which was convenient and his body riddled.

The mob raided Loper's cafe and completely wrecked the house, furniture and the large touring car owned by the proprietor. Loper had taken Joe James, a negro accused of the murder of Clergyman A. Ballard and George Richardson, accused of the assault upon Mrs. Hallam from the county jail in company with two deputy sheriffs and police officers, raced eight miles across the country to within one mile of Sherman, where a Chicago & Alton passenger train was overtaken.

A special car had been procured and the negroes were taken to Bloomington and later transferred to Peoria. The attack upon Loper commenced about 8 o'clock and the crowd did not leave the place until early this morning after taking all the furniture from the rooms and burning it on the sidewalk in front of the place, only half a block from the public square in the heart of the business district.

Negroes Shoot White Man.

W. H. Rowe, chief clerk in the county treasurer's office, was precariously wounded in another fight, which took place at Fourteenth and Madison streets, three blocks from the scene of the lynching. Mr. Rowe was set upon by a number of negroes, one of whom shot him through the body. The bullet grazed the liver and inflicted a dangerous wound. The county official was then robbed and beaten and would have been killed had not one of the negroes recognized him and persuaded the others to desist. An operation was performed on Mr. Rowe this morning and at noon the surgeons reported that he had a fair chance to recover.

The number of injured totals close to seventy-five.

Names of the seriously injured are as follows:

Caldwell, John; Hanen, Louis; Oakley, Robert; Foley, Thomas; Brinkman, E. P.; Campbell, D., patrolman; Dahlenkamp, Robert (negro); Kaapp, Claude, militiaman; Parring, Harry O., member garrison gun section, Fifth infantry; Sidener, Albert; Snell, — of Sherman; Stuart, Will (negro); Hays, Bill; Lawson, Robert (negro); Wil-

liams, Andrew; Mustin, Edward; Twyman, Arthur; Delaware, Frank, Smith, William; Stokes, Will, porter; Logan, —; Mayo, Eugene; West, Harrison (negro).

The majority of others were shot in the legs or feet by the soldiers who dispersed the mob.

Loper Interviewed.

Harry T. Loper, owner of the restaurant destroyed said:

"I have been through one riot in Cincinnati in '83, the greatest in this country, when one hundred men were killed. It was to avoid loss of life that I took these men out of town. I did not favor the men; I have no interest in them whatever, and would go just as far to punish them as anybody, but after going through the Cincinnati riot and knowing the sheriff as I do, I knew he would be killed first before he would let the jail be taken. I thought I would save lives by removing the negroes."

"I would not shoot a single man to protect my place, and I only shot into the crowd when in personal danger myself. I would not kill a single man to save my place."

City Quiet During Day.

The city has been comparatively quiet today, but the atmosphere is tense with suppressed excitement. The burned district and the wrecked Loper restaurant were mecca for hundreds of sight seers, the early trains being crowded with people from surrounding towns who added to the numbers of Springfield citizens attracted to the scenes of last night's struggle between the mob and the authorities. Sentries picked from the troops already on the ground were posted thickly about these places and kept the crowds back from the negroes who searched the blackened ruins for traces of their former possessions.

Scores of poor families lost their all in the fires and their condition is such that the state has been compelled to come to their relief. Governor Deneen issued orders this morning that all who desired assistance or protection against a possible renewal of the riots would be quartered. The incoming troops will also be sent there and other measures will be taken to wipe out the evidences of the riots as quickly as possible. It is the announced plan of the governor, who was too busy this morning to discuss the matter in detail, to make a full investigation of the affair.

Full Protection to All.

"We mean simply to give full protection to the rights of every citizen," said the governor. "No method by which this can be accomplished will be overlooked."

The local authorities, too, have

been working on plans for the prevention of additional trouble.

There was little for the police to do, however, a few scattered personal altercations being the only evidences of disorder today. The city officials have already warned law abiding citizens to remain off the streets after nightfall. Sheriff Warner, however, was in receipt of information that the riotous element was preparing a fresh attack on the negroes of the city.

It was this circumstance that led him to ask Governor Deneen for the extra troops.

Crowd Cheered Death.

The rope used to hang the negro was a short one and the body was not pulled more than five feet off the ground. As the body went up the crowd shouted: "We have got one, hurrah." "Look at the nigger swing."

The cheering continued for some time.

It is believed that the negro was shot and killed before his body was strung up. Sheriff Warner cut the body down at 3:30 a. m. There were forty bullet holes in the body.

Negroes Want to Fight.

A dispatch from Decatur, Ill., says that many negroes arriving from Springfield are trying to arouse the people of that city to go back to Springfield and fight. Several of them have been arrested and weapons taken from them.

CHICAGO TROOPS ORDERED TO SCENE

By Associated Press.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15.—Governor Deneen tonight on a report from General Young that sufficient troops were not at hand, ordered out the Second regiment of the Illinois national guard, and commanded the seventh regiment to hold itself in readiness for call. Both are Chicago regiments.

ACCUSED NEGRO CLAIMS INNOCENCE

By Associated Press.

Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 15.—George Richardson, the negro who was brought to Bloomington last night from Springfield to keep him from a mob that wanted to lynch him for an alleged assault on Mrs. Earl Hallam, tonight in an interview with the Associated Press, declared his innocence. He also expressed a desire to return to Springfield when the law prevails, and prove to all that he is innocent. He was at his home the night the woman was attacked, and said he could prove it by his friends, both black and white.

Bloomington is quiet tonight, and there is no suggestion of an outbreak.

LIGHTNING SET FIRE TO CHURCH

Struck Steeple of Palafox Methodist Church During the Storm.

During the electrical storm yesterday afternoon lightning struck the steeple and roof of the Palafox street Methodist church building, the lower portion of which is occupied by the Pensacola Investment Co. The wooden portion of the steeple, which is covered with tin, was raised between six and eight inches from the brick foundation, while shingles were torn from the roof and window glass broken.

The lightning set fire to the building, but the flames were quickly extinguished.

Those who were looking towards the church when the flash of lightning was noticeable, stated that the steeple appeared to rise up in the air and settle partially back upon the foundation.

DEATH OF THE INFANT OF LOUIS ROACH

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roach died yesterday morning, after a short illness. The funeral services were conducted in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Hotel Fire in Oklahoma

By Associated Press.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 15.—The Lee hotel, a five-story structure and one of the finest in the South, was destroyed by a fire tonight which for a time threatened the entire business district of the city. It is believed no one was injured, though at a late hour one guest of the hotel was missing. The loss is estimated at \$250,000. At midnight the fire was under control.

GEORGIA HEARST PARTY CONVENTION

By Associated Press.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 11.—William Yancy Carter, of Hart county, was today nominated for governor of Georgia by the state convention of the national independence party. The platform is to be formulated Monday. It is said Carter will challenge the Democratic nominee, Joseph M. Brown, to a series of joint debates.

WILL REQUEST WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN TROOPS

By Associated Press.

London, Aug. 15.—The Times' correspondent at Pekin says that one of the objects of the mission abroad of Tang Shao Yu, vice-president of the board of foreign affairs, is to request the withdrawal of the foreign troops from Pekin. The correspondent adds that whatever the European powers may decide in the matter, the Chinese expect that the United States will accede to their request.

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VICTIM OF THE CHATTAHOOCHEE

Body of Physician Who Was Drowned Recovered at Gainesville.

By Associated Press.

Gainesville, Ga., Aug. 15.—The body of Dr. K. A. Smith was found today about a quarter of a mile above Brown's bridge, three miles below where he was drowned Friday was a week ago. Dr. Smith was a prominent physician of Gainesville, and was with a party sailing in the Chattahoocnee river several miles above the city. They decided to wade across, and all did so except Dr. Smith, who was seen to throw up his hands as if in distress, but sank before a member of the party could reach him. Repeated efforts have been made since then to recover the body, but all efforts were in vain until today.

A PRO-PRIMARY STORY.

A campaign incident that happened just before the recent first primary

has just leaked out. It is too good to keep.

John S. Beard, candidate for the United States senate, was driving through this section with a friend, when they came to the home of an old Swede. Mr. Beard decided to drop in and rest on the cool porch, and also drop a word in favor of his candidacy. By way of opening the conversation, Mr. Beard asked:

"Do you know Col. Lamar?"

"Yaas," drawled the Swede. "I know Lamar. He pretty good feller."

"Do you know Governor Broward?"

"Yaas, I know Governor Broward. I think he pretty good feller."

"Well, do you know Fletcher and Beard?"

"Yaas, I think they pretty good fellers."

"Who do you think has the best show?" next asked Mr. Beard.

"Well," answered the Swede. "I think Ringling Bros. got the best show."

Taft Instructs Wright in Department Work

By Associated Press.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 15.—Mr. Taft today devoted a portion of his time to placing Luke E. Wright, his successor, as secretary of war, in touch with certain important Cuban and Panama matters. General Wright will remain here over Sunday. No other callers or conferences were held today with the candidate, although the two West Virginia republican factions are still here in an effort to settle

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their differences among themselves. It was stated, however, that both Swisher and Scherer have refused to voluntarily withdraw their gubernatorial aspirations and that ultimately the national committee will be confronted with the question of decision.

ECUADOR RAILROAD GOES THROUGH DESPITE ENEMIES

By Associated Press.

Quito, Ecuador, Aug. 15.—The message of President Alfaro to congress last night said that notwithstanding voluntary plans by the enemies of the government, the railway had been put through to Quito, thus establishing rapid communication between the interior of the country and the coast. The income of the republic during 1907, the message said, was \$6,362,283 and the expenditures were \$7,700,892.

A railway from Huigra to Cuenca, in the province of Azuaya, had begun and will be finished in a little over two years.

LOST PROPELLER IN WARSHIP MANEUVERS

Special to The Journal.

Valley, Toulon, Aug. 15.—While taking part in the maneuvers yesterday in the Gulf of Juan, between Cannes and Antibes, the French battleship Suffren lost her starboard propeller with part of the shafting. She will have to be placed in drydock.

MANILA ELECTION FRAUDS

Copies of Ballots Stolen and Used at the Polls.

By Associated Press.

Manila, Aug. 15.—The local police have discovered that copies of the ballots used in the recent municipal election in this city were stolen

prior to the election and used in an illegal manner at the polls. The extent of the fraud is unknown as yet, but it is thought that the ballots were used chiefly to make certain the manner in which the supporters of certain candidates voted.

It is expected that the election will be contested which will permit the opening of the ballot boxes in order to examine the handwriting on the ballots. Many protests against the seating of Simeon Vala, elected alderman at this election, have been remitted by the governor but no action has been taken in the matter yet.

WILL DEFEND SALVADOR BEFORE COURT OF JUSTICE

By Associated Press.

San Salvador, Republic of Salvador, Aug. 15.—Estaban Castro, chief magistrate of the supreme court, has been appointed to defend the government of Salvador before the central court of justice at Cartago, Costa Rica, which came into existence as a result of the Central American peace conference had in Washington last year against the charges of Honduras that Salvador aided the rebels in the late revolution. He will leave for Cartago August 22.

YESTERDAY WAS A HOT DAY HERE

Yesterday was an exceptionally warm day in Pensacola. In fact no day this year has the temperature gone any higher than yesterday and only one day where it was equalled. The maximum yesterday was 93 degrees at 12:30 p. m., which equals that of July 16, which up to yesterday was the hottest of the season.

The temperature yesterday was six degrees higher than it was on the same date last year, and five degrees above the average for this date.